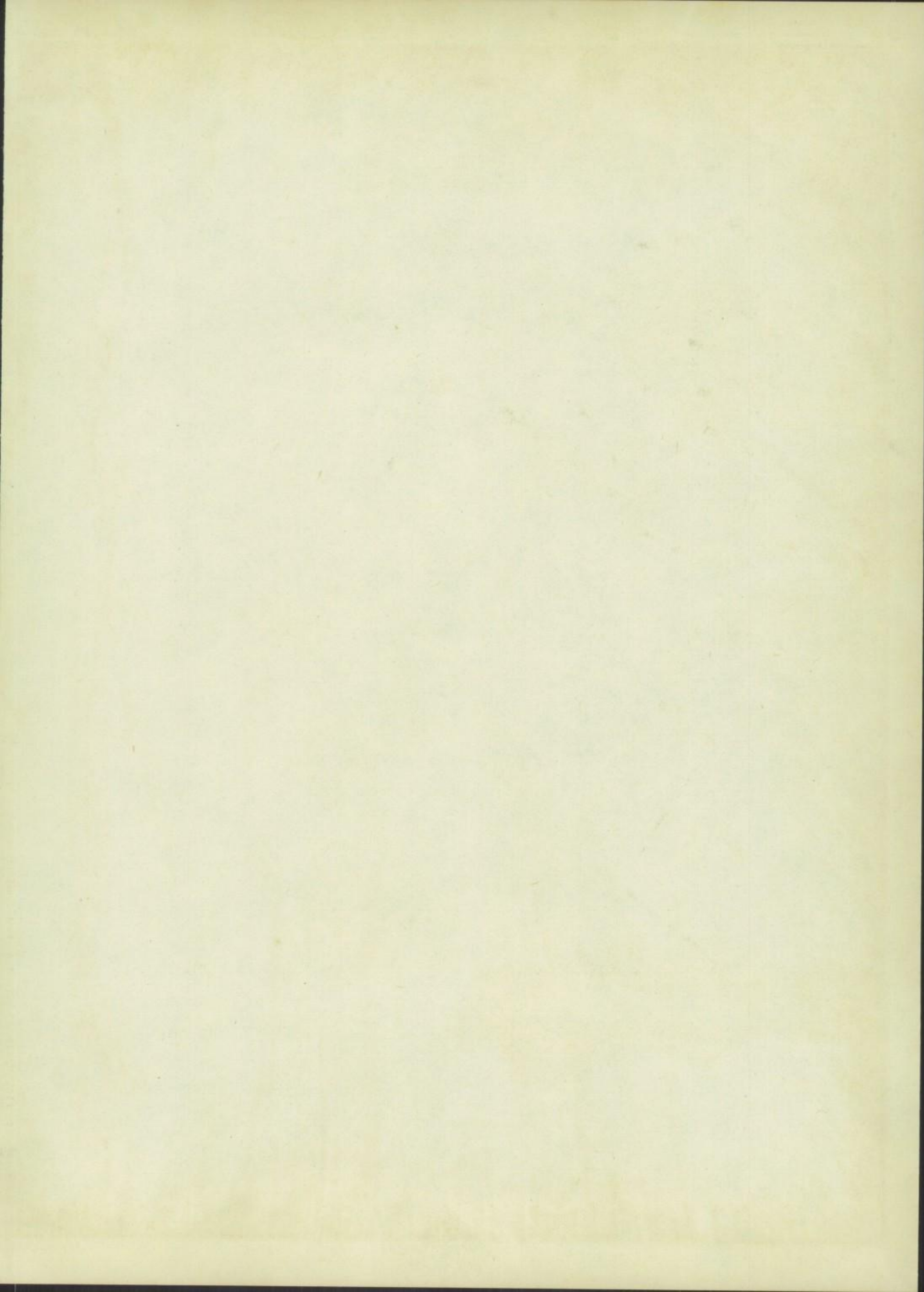
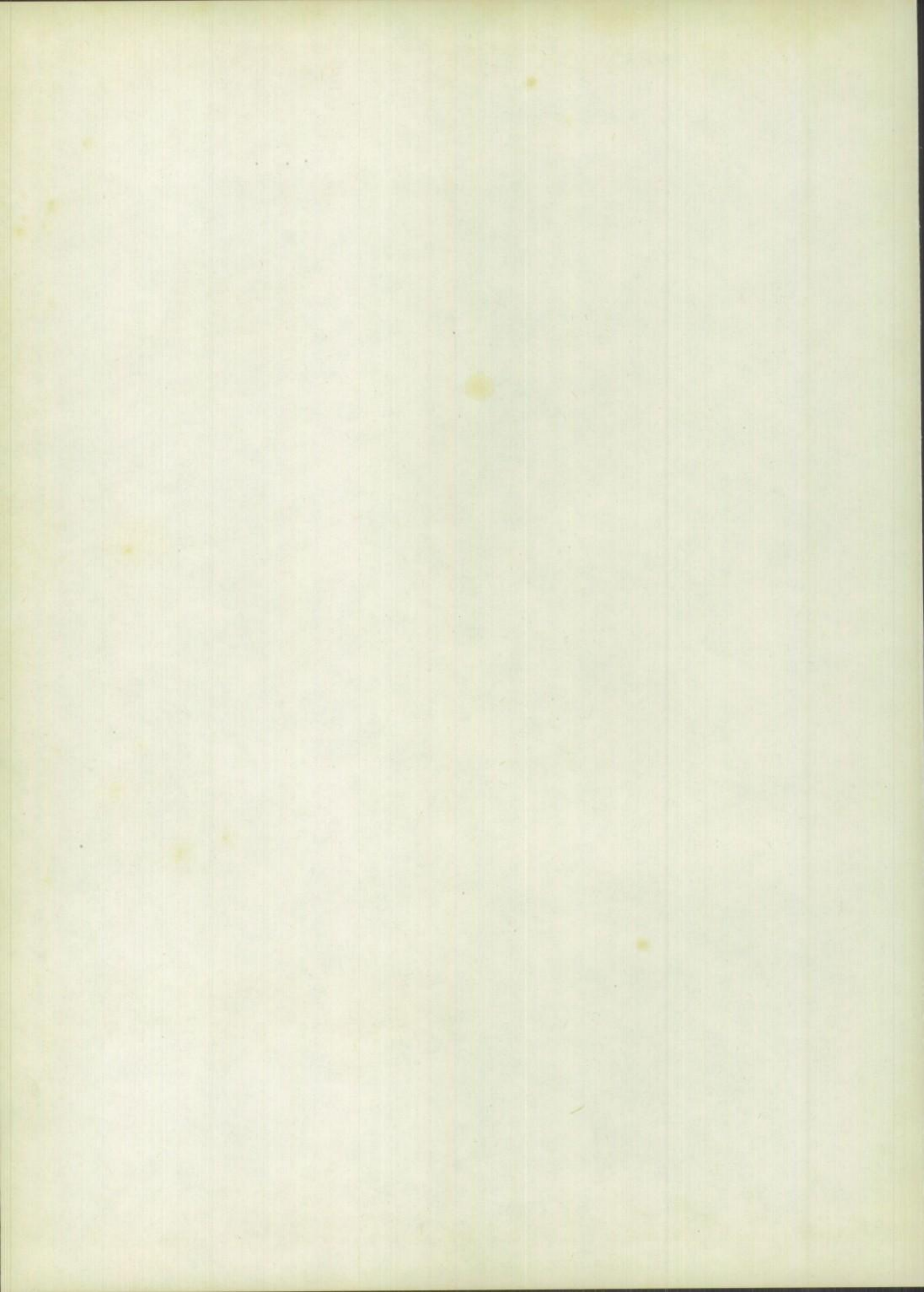




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FABRICA

SMITHVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

Smithville, Ohio

1953

Fabrica—Some of you may not know why our annual is called the "Fabrica." Fabrica in Latin means "The Smithie." I feel this is very fitting for our yearbook and I hope it continues to be so called in years to come.

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Foreword . . .

The Fabrica is a collection of memories of our days spent in the halls and class rooms of Smithville High School. We hope you have enjoyed the year 1952-1953 as much as we have.

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Dedication



To Mrs. Becker . . .

We the class of '53', dedicate this Fabrica to Mrs. Becker in grateful appreciation of her continued kindness and helpful influence as our teacher and friend.

To Mr. Rowe . . .

We the class of '53', respectfully dedicate this Fabrica as a token of our deep appreciation for your friendly guidance and unfailing interest in all of our activities.



Alma Mater

Here's to our Alma Mater, Our own beloved Smithville,
All through the coming ages, We all will love thee still,
To Thee we'll all be faithful, Homage to thee we'll pay,

Through thick and thin, we'll fight to win,

Until our dying day.

Oh Smithville! Dear Old Smithville,

Our hearts are all with thee,

For green and white we'll fight with might,

And true we'll ever be.

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Faculty



Mr. Burkholder
Superintendent
Geometry



Mr. Berkey
Coach
Health
History
Phys. Ed.



Mr. McCay
Principal
Algebra
Health
Science



Mrs. Becker
Commercial



Mr. Rowe
Driver Education
Industrial Arts



Miss Gould
Home Economics
Biology



Mr. Bingham
World History
General Science
Phys. Ed.



Mr. Amstutz
Agriculture
Farm Shop

Faculty



Mr. Taylor
Physics
Chemistry



Miss Kardos
English
Phys. Ed.



Mr. Levin
Music



Mrs. Murray
Latin
English
Speech



Mr. Kasapis
Art



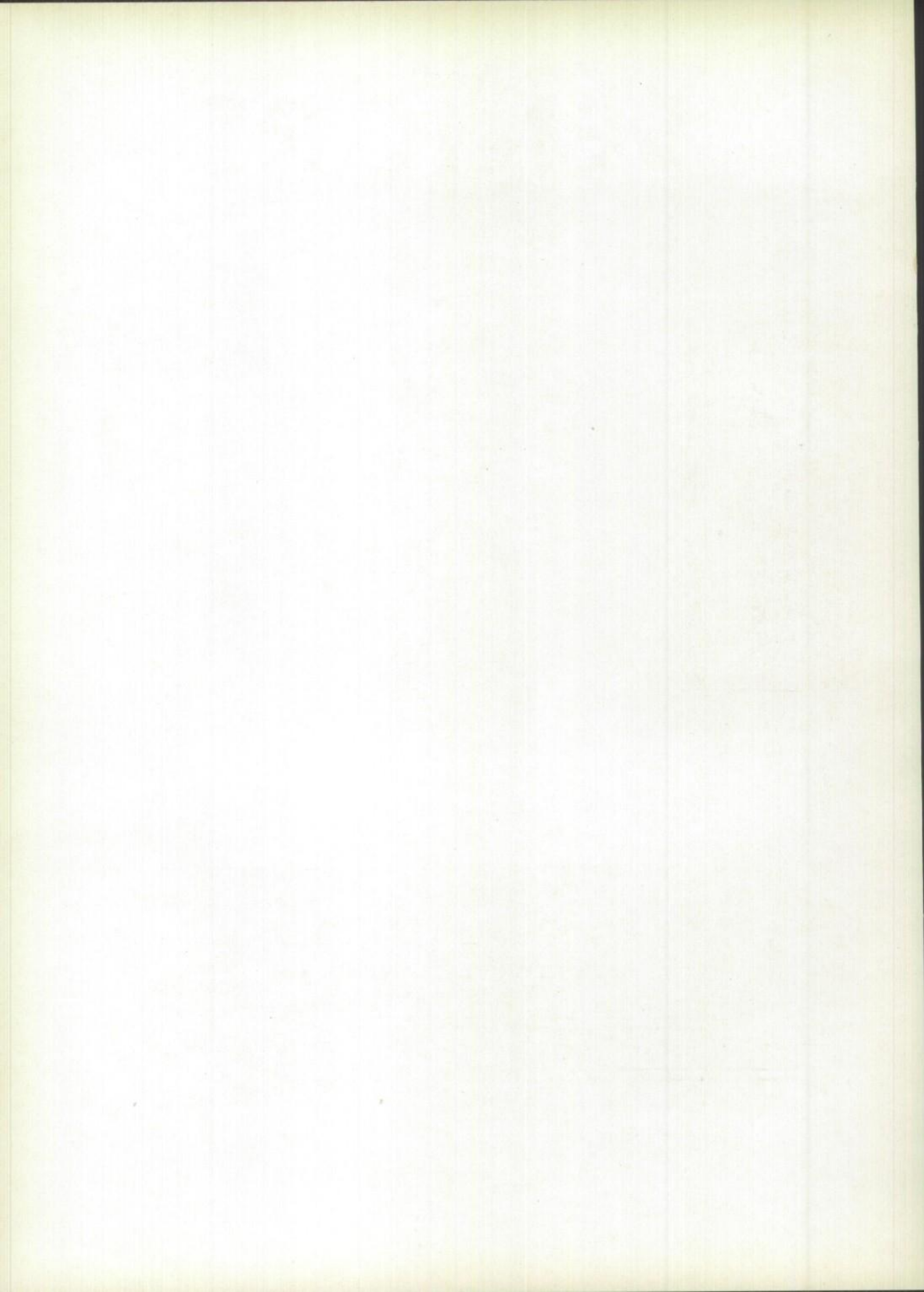
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Secretary
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Mrs. Dintamin
Mrs. Sinclair
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Mr. Sinclair
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Not Enjoyment, and Not Sorrow



William Hutchison

Student Council President
Social Chairman
"Responsibility prevents mischief"

Morrene Musser

President
"By her golden curls and her unequalled laugh, you shall know her"



Betty Boreman

Secretary
"Without her Bill would be lost"

Fritz Bland

Vice President
"Happy-Go-Lucky"



Darrel Indermuhle

Sergeant At Arms
"The 'fastest' (runner) in the class"

Doris Zimmerly

Treasurer
"Always ready for a good time"



Paula Feusier

Student Council
"Always around if you look for her"

Dale Shamp

Student Council
"Because modesty is Dale's outstanding virtue, we never hear him speak of his accomplishments"



Bernice Lytle

Social Chairman
"She has a far-away look in her eyes"

Marilyn Zuercher

Class Reporter
"Find and give the best"



Is Our Destined End or Way;

Roger Badertscher

"Someone has stolen his heart"



Karen Berkey

"A girl with a thousand temperaments"

Janice Bishop

"Janice is just a pocket edition in size but her pep and spunk make up for that"



Richard Besancon

"Care-free and happy always"

Bill Buchwalter

"He's an all-around fellow and a good sport"



Joan Carmony

"A wonderful sense of humor"

Helen Gordon

"She appears quiet until one knows her well, when she removes her cloak of reserve"



John Bupp

"Do all the good you can and make as little fuss about it as possible"

Harold Conrad

"Argument is the soul of conversation"



Joanne Hartzler

"Jo is always busy"



But to Act, That Each To-morrow



Carole Lonier

"More than her name and dark curls distinguish this senior"



Gerald Elliott

"Good natured and jolly, appreciative of every favor shown him"



Jim Geiser

"The world belongs to the energetic"



Ruth McClure

"A dispenser of good cheer"



Carol Miller

"She thinks, but mostly about her men"



Bob Hohenshil

"Not that I love study less, but I love fun more"



Harold Miller

"Our chemist and man of science"



Arlene Odenkirk

"Everyone admires a lady like Arlene"



Dolores Troxel

"Being pleasant constitutes her hobby"



Eleanor Yates

"She always had time to do little favors for everyone"



Finds Us Farther Than To-day.

Galen Moomaw

"Deeds, not hours, are the measure of life"

Charles Raudebaugh

"A good student and active in Agriculture"

Ralph Smucker

"Every man is the architect of his own fortune"

Gene Stuckey

"He's not only at home on the stage, but also on the athletic field"

Allen Zook

"Never trouble trouble, unless trouble troubles you"

Elton Moose

"After you once learn to know him, he is always a loyal friend"

Roy Morrison

"He is rather quiet and reserved, which is much to his credit"

Jim Singer

"Heaven has designed you a temper, man"

Lonny Starcher

"Lonny is jolly and has a smile for everyone"

Willis Troyer

"Always ready for action"



Motto

“Tonight We Sail, Where Shall We Anchor?”

Flower

Yellow Rosebud

Colors

Black and Gold

Senior Class History

It was a bright, calm autumnal day in September 1949, that the good ship, Smithville High School, stood at anchor at the wharf of a new school year. Many people gazed upon it in wonder as they watched 54 girls and boys step aboard and wondered what misfortunes would overtake them on their voyage into new and untried water.

We were naturally very enthusiastic and asked many eager questions of our Captain, Mr. Watkins. We were young and socially inclined, so it did not take us long to get acquainted with our fellow passengers. There were cases of seasickness and various ones were tempted to throw such disagreeable dishes as algebra and science over-board, but calmer waters were soon reached.

But the ship life is unattractive without social events; so after a few weeks we elected our officers to take charge of these events. We elected Fritz Bland, President; Jim Singer, Vice President; Carole Lonier, Secretary; Doris Zimmerly, Treasurer; Paula Feusier and Dale Shamp, Student Council Representatives; Darrel Indermuhle, Sergeant at Arms; William Hutchison, News Reporter; and Mr. Watkins as Class Sponsor.

We had to travel fourth class, but the third class passengers, generally called "Sophomores," gave us a reception that thor-

oughly initiated us into the mysteries of ship life.

In November, Karen Berkey gave us a Hallowe'en Party in her cabin. A good time was had by all.

So ended our voyage on the Freshmen seas.

In September we started on a voyage over the Sophomore sea. We were experienced travelers now and so felt more at ease. We tried our wiles upon the fourth class passengers, the Freshmen, this voyage and had a fine time.

The crew hands changed again with Morrene Musser as first mate and the rest of the crew as follows: Fritz Bland, Vice President; Betty Boreman, Secretary; Doris Zimmerly, Treasurer; Denny Litman, Sergeant at Arms; Carole Lonier, News Reporter; Paula Feusier and Jim Singer, Student Council Representatives.

Betty Boreman gave us a party during the year.

We adopted black and gold as our class colors and bought sweaters which added a bit of color to the decks of the ship.

We felt that more social life was needed so we ended the year with a party in Gerald Elliott's State Room.

Senior Class History (Cont'd.)

The following fall we found we were traveling second class and were a part of the group called the "upper classmen."

Some of our crew changed this year. We chose Morrene Musser, President; William Hutchison, Vice President; Betty Boreman, Secretary; Doris Zimmerly, Treasurer; Gene Stuckey, Sergeant at Arms; Paula Feusier and Jim Singer as Student Council Representatives; Bernice Lytle and Fritz Bland, Social Chairmen.

Our eyes were attracted by golden rings and our class rings arrived in December.

On March 21, the passengers gave a play, "You Can't Take It With You," to a large audience. On April 26 we banqueted the Seniors at the annual Junior-Senior Banquet.

Our Captain, Mr. Watkins, retired from the service and was given a farewell party.

This, our last year on ship board was very enjoyable, for we were traveling first class with two new Co-Captains, Mrs. Becker and Mr. Rowe. We retained our same officers with the exception of Vice President, Fritz Bland; Sergeant at Arms, Darrel Indermuhle; Student Council Representatives, Paula Feusier and Dale Shamp; Social Chairmen, Bernice Lytle and William Hutchison.

William Hutchison was elected Admiral of the fleet around the harbor of Smithville High School.

On November 14 we gave a play, "Cheaper by the Dozen," to an even larger audience.

On May 16, we were feted at a banquet by the Juniors.

Baccalaureate Services were held in the ship's auditorium, Sunday evening, May 24.

Sports played an important part in ship life. The following list of passengers received one or more letters for sports activities: Bill Buchwalter, Fritz Bland, Gene Stuckey, Darrel Indermuhle, Jim Singer, John Bupp, and Harold Conrad.

It has been a wonderful voyage and while the billows of examination questions have sometimes tried their best to overwhelm us they have not succeeded.

On May 28, 40 members received their degrees of acquired knowledge and were given a 4-day shore leave to our Nation's Capital.

Although our shore leave was short we must start on a new voyage of "Real Life," and we realize as our motto states, "Tonight we sail; where shall we anchor?" we will always try to keep sailing ahead.

Written by

Betty Boreman
Doris Zimmerly
Harold Conrad
Willis Troyer

Senior Class Will

My friends, I have called you to assemble here as a solemn duty, that you, the heirs of my respected client, the class of 1953, may hear her last will and testament.

May I entreat that you receive your legacies in the spirit of friendship. I shall now appreciate your courteous attention.

We, the class of 1953, in the town of Smithville, county of Wayne, and the state of Ohio, being in good mental condition, do hereby make this, our last will and testament.

ARTICLE I

We feel that our brilliant record and our unusual achievement will live after us, but, not willing to take any chances, we suggest that a tablet be inscribed with our names and a few of our outstanding deeds. This should be purchased and placed in the auditorium where all can see it.

ARTICLE II

In the following way do we dispose of our possessions:

We give and bequeath to the Junior Class our most important properties, our self-satisfaction and our wisdom. Both of these we have in large quantities. We also leave to the Juniors our good luck. It should more than satisfy them because of what it has made us. They may also have our right and privileges as Seniors in the study hall, as well as notebooks, fountain pens, apple-cores, and any other articles we left behind in our haste.

We also bequeath to the Junior Class our well known nerve. I am sure that this will

be very useful to them. We gladly give them our examination questions that have been given us in the past year. We believe that, like history, an examination repeats itself. We are very sorry that we cannot supply the correct answers at this time.

To the Sophomore Class we leave our patience. They will need it to endure the Juniors.

To the future Freshmen we leave our time, our talents, and our ambitions. With these they shall not remain green very long.

Only the Freshman Class has been omitted in this will. We have left them nothing because they will soon be Sophomores. By that time their self-evaluation will reach such heights that nothing in our possession would be regarded by them as useful.

To our Superintendent, Mr. Burkholder, we bequeath the relief that we have finally graduated. We have spent four years together. Any great deeds or achievements that our future contains will be the result of his example and counsel.

To our Principal, Mr. McCay, we leave, in trust, our sense of humor. Without it, school life would have been painful. This should make all future classes more pleasant for both instructors and pupils.

To our teachers, the faculty of Smithville High School, we give our kindest regards and our sincere gratitude for their helping aid. We bequeath them our entire store of knowledge and any other information which we have picked up during the past four years.

Senior Class Will (Cont'd.)

ARTICLE III

I, Carol Miller, will my many declamations to Nita Brant, who thinks she can do them better.

I, Ruth McClure, will my uncontrollable giggles to Donna Beichler.

I, Harold Miller, will my ability to stay away from the girls to Jon Pritchard, who has a different one every night.

I, Bernice Lytle, will my ability to get a diamond while still in high school to JoEtta Haley who is making progress.

I, Galen Moomaw, will my ability to get along with Mr. Levin to his pet peeve, Maxine Sheets.

I, Carole Lonier, will my dark hair to Martha Wertz, who doesn't seem to like hers.

I, Elton Moose, will my quiet ways to Bradley McAfee who should use them.

I, Darrel Indermuhle, will my frequent absence from history class to Warren Weir-thrick who will probably need it when he gets there.

I, Roy Morrison, will my car to anyone who can drive it.

I, William Hutchison, will my job at Shell-er's to anyone dumb enough to take it.

I, Morrene Musser, will my ability to be class president three times in a row to any worthy Freshman.

I, Bob Hohenshil, will my many devilish ways to Larry Schrock.

I, Arlene Odenkirk, will my many boy friends to Rosalie Baab.

I, Charles Raudebaugh, will my privilege to drive a wine Mercury to David King who gets along with a "35" Chevy.

I, Dale Shamp, will my self-appointed privilege to talk in any class and get away with it to Clara Lytle who doesn't get away with anything.

I, Jim Geiser, will my collection of radios to Mr. Taylor.

I, Jim Singer, will my short hair cut to Jim Kapluck who needs one.

I, Paula Feusier, will my collection of music to anyone who thinks they can play it to suit Mr. Levin.

I, Ralph Smucker, will my farming interests to Gene Kaufman whose only interest is girls.

I, Gerald Elliott, will my deck of cards to the teachers so they can play cards at teachers' meeting.

I, Lonny Starcher, will my Toni Permanent Kit to Donny Stuckey with wishes for better success next time.

I, Harold Conrad, will my corny sense of humor and jokes to Ernest Rehm.

I, Gene Stuckey, will my ability to grow up to Ted Berkey whose dad wishes he would.

I, Janice Bishop, will my motto, "To talk first and think afterwards," to Margaret Hostetler.

I, Marilyn Zuercher, will my collection of recipes to Joanne Brotherton.

I, Richard Besancon, will my bashful ways to my brother "Toots."

I, Joanne Hartzler, will my freckles to Anita Buchwalter.

I, Roger Badertscher, will my muscle building set to Marion Falb.

I, Dolores Troxel, will my slender figure to Shirley Gwin.

I, John Bupp, will my ability to go with two girls to Jack Snoddy who can't get away from one.

I, Willis Troyer, will my innocent, little brother Charles to anyone who wants him.

I, Betty Boreman, will my ability to go home after a date to Ellen Weygandt who sits and parks.

I, Joan Carmony, will John Bupp to Phyllis Hochstetler.

I, Allen Zook, will my flag-fighting techniques to any worthy Junior of those who follow.

I, Fritz Bland, will my old Bookkeeping workbook to anyone who can make it out.

I, Bill Buchwalter, will my manly physique to Ernie George.

I, Doris Zimmerly, will my little bottle of "aspirins" to Walter Stoll.

I, Karen Berkey, will my dimples to my father who has only one.

I, Eleanor Yates, will my ability to manage the recreation program to Gwen Thut.

I, Helen Gordon, will my sewing ability to any worthy Home Ec. girl.

Written by—

Carole Lanier
Karen Berkey
Bill Hutchison
Galen Moomaw

Class Prophecy

On a nice June day in 1973 the telephone lines were buzzing with news about two Smithville High School graduates that cupid had finally shot.

Morrene Musser, a former teacher at Smithville High School, is busy reminding Doris Zimmerly, who is a happy housewife, about the wedding that is to take place. They are looking forward to the occasion because most of their old classmates will be there.

On the big day, approaching the church, we see Mr. and Mrs. Dale Shamp gayly reminiscing with Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Starcher. Dale is now a civil engineer, working for the state of Illinois, and Lonnie has just retired from the Navy. While we are talking to them, Harold Conrad, a well known lawyer, arrives. He tells us that he had the privilege of issuing them their marriage license.

We are surprised to see that Karen Berkey, who is a nurse at Cleveland City Hospital, was able to leave her position long enough to attend the wedding. She was flown here by Roger Badertscher, who is an instructor at the Cleveland Municipal Airport.

As we enter the church, we are greeted by the ushers, Richard Besancon, Darrel Indermuhle, and Gerald Elliott, who are all engaged in farming. Harry (Jim) Geiser, who is a well known photographer, is taking some pictures of the flowers which were furnished by Mr. and Mrs. Bill Buchwalter

(Betty Boreman). Bill now owns and operates the Buchwalter Greenhouse.

We arrived at our seats just in time, because the organist, Paula Feusier, has just started playing. She is the organist at the Smithville Methodist Church. Mrs. Ralph Woods, the former Bernice Lytle, will be the soloist. As she finishes "Because," the organ peals forth with the "Wedding March." Down the aisle comes The Reverend Galen Moomaw, the minister at his newly established church, who will perform the ceremony. Next comes the best man, Charles Raudebaugh, who is engaged in farming. Following him comes the groom.

All eyes are focused on the procession which is coming down the aisle. First we see Arlene Odenkirk and Janice Bishop, who are the bridesmaids. They are wearing beautiful yellow dresses. Ruth McClure makes a very lovely maid of honor in her lime green dress.

The big moment has arrived. Here comes the bride in her lovely white gown, escorted by Ralph Smucker, who is working on her father's farm trying out one of his experiments on soil conservation. The gowns worn by the bridal party were made and designed by Helen Gordon and Joanne Hartzler, who run the dress shop in Smithville.

Following the ceremony, the first to congratulate the newly weds is Allen Zook, who came only to kiss the bride.

Class Prophecy (Cont'd.)

Outside the church everyone is given a small bag of rice furnished by Harold Miller. He has recently discovered a new process for cleaning rice. The rice was passed out just in time because the bride and groom have now come out of the church and are hurrying toward their decorated car driven by Bob Hohenshil, operator of the Smithville Ford Garage.

The Stuckey's (Carole Lonier) have opened their home for a wedding supper. As we enter the living room, we see a table with a beautiful three tiered wedding cake made by Carol Miller. She is now head of the Miller Pastry Shoppe at Smithville. Also on the table is a large punch bowl. Roy Morrison is head of the Morrison Catering Service and has furnished the punch.

As we peek into the kitchen, we see Marilyn Zuercher and Dolores Troxel busily preparing the meat which was contributed by Bill Hutchison, who is general manager of Sheller Bros. Meats. Marilyn and Dolores are operating a small cozy restaurant in Smithville.

Everyone is now gathering around to admire the bride's beautiful wedding ring

which was purchased from the Singer Jewelry Store. Jim is now a very prominent business man.

We now see Elton Moose, who luckily just arrived home from the Congo, where he is a missionary.

Slipping in the door, we spy Fritz Bland, late again, but this time he has a good excuse. He tells us that he has just completed his "good deed for the day" for the newly weds. He tied their clothes in knots and hid their suitcases.

After the newly weds return home from their trip, planned by Eleanor Yates, who is secretary at the Wooster Travel Agency, they will reside at their modern home designed by Willis Troyer of the Troyer Manufacturing Co.

After the supper, everyone waves good-by and wishes Mr. and Mrs. John Bupp (Joan Carmony) a very happy marriage.

Written by

Paula Feusier
Morrene Musser
Gene Stuckey
Dale Shamp

UNDERCLASSES

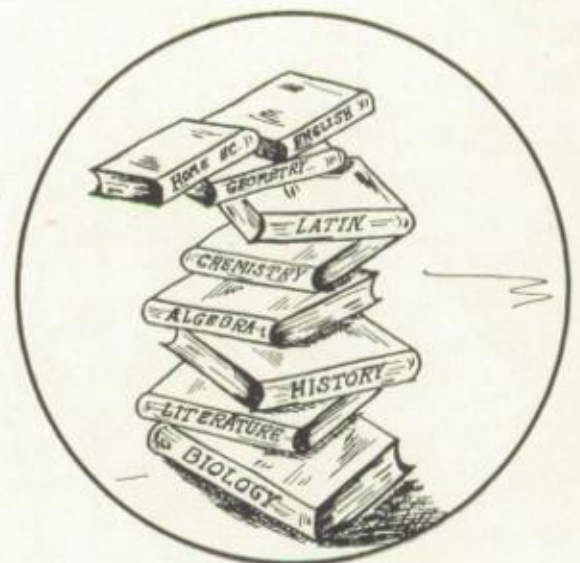
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Juniors

The class of "54" entered the halls of learning at Smithville High this year with the lofty feeling of finally being upperclassmen. Being Juniors has given us a feeling of dignity and superiority.

The Marshallville students entered our class this year, bringing the total of our members to forty-two.



FIRST ROW: Mr. Taylor, G. Kelbly, G. Frase, E. Miller, M. Wertz, A. Airulla, M. Beaverson, E. Gerig, W. Stoll, C. Franks
 SECOND ROW: Jeanne Brotherton, N. Wilson, L. Zimmerly, M. Gordon, D. Beichler, P. Gresser, N. Hostetler, R. McAfee, N. Brant, L. Hartsough
 THIRD ROW: C. Stout, J. Elliott, T. Marthey, P. Carpenter, S. Fike, J. Byler, C. Lytle, N. Becker, R. Baab, G. Rhine, Joanne Brotherton
 FOURTH ROW: M. Griffith, J. Kapluck, O. Brillhart, J. Pritchard, J. Wilson, D. Horst, H. Bogner, D. Rohrer, W. Nolt, D. King, W. Goodman

We organized our class in October and elected these very capable officers:

President	-	-	-	-	-	Aretha Airulla
Vice President	-	-	-	-	-	Eloise Gerig
Secretary	-	-	-	-	-	Martha Wertz
Treasurer	-	-	-	-	-	Emilie Miller
Student Council	-	-	-	-	-	Mary Lou Beaverson
						Cloyd Franks
Social Chairmen	-	-	-	-	-	Walter Stoll
						Glenna Frase
Class Reporter	-	-	-	-	-	Jeanne Brotherton
Sergeant at Arms	-	-	-	-	-	George Kelbly

Some of the high points of our Junior year were: The Junior class play, March 27, and the Junior-Senior Banquet, May 16.

We received our class rings in December which made us feel proud but poor.

Even though we are proud of being Juniors this year, we are looking forward enthusiastically to being Seniors next year.

More About the Juniors

Things I'd Like to Forget

Aretha Airulla	-	-	-	-	-	-	All my lectures in literature
Rosalie Baab	-	-	-	-	-	-	The morning I had to wash my head before coming to school
Mary Lou Beaverson	-	-	-	-	-	-	The night I went with Larry Litweiler
Norma Becker	-	-	-	-	-	-	The time I forgot to leave a margin on my literature paper
Donna Beichler	-	-	-	-	-	-	My many escorts
Harry Bogner	-	-	-	-	-	-	My temper
Nita Brant	-	-	-	-	-	-	When my driver's license was taken away
Olin Brillhart	-	-	-	-	-	-	The times I used to have with Trenna in grade school
Jeanne Brotherton	-	-	-	-	-	-	One halloween party with George W.
Joanne Brotherton	-	-	-	-	-	-	When my twin sister's eyes were too big
Janet Byler	-	-	-	-	-	-	That I told someone that Harry and I were going steady
Jim Elliott	-	-	-	-	-	-	My fight with Mr. Taylor
Shirley Fike	-	-	-	-	-	-	The time I fell in the mud
Cloyd Franks	-	-	-	-	-	-	The eighth grade trip to Columbus
Glenna Frase	-	-	-	-	-	-	Wally and the dances at the school
Eloise Gerig	-	-	-	-	-	-	The night Gene's car stalled in Yoder's lane
Warren Goodman	-	-	-	-	-	-	One miserable day in typing
Margie Gordon	-	-	-	-	-	-	Everything that I don't want to remember
Phyllis Gresser	-	-	-	-	-	-	The many times I broke my glasses playing basketball
Lina Hartsough	-	-	-	-	-	-	My curfew
Dale Horst	-	-	-	-	-	-	My dates in the jeep
Nancy Hostetler	-	-	-	-	-	-	The time I almost ran over Hutch
James Kapluck	-	-	-	-	-	-	The many times I fell while roller skating
George Kelbly	-	-	-	-	-	-	My time in the hospital and the night I wrecked my car
David King	-	-	-	-	-	-	The times I tied for second in extemp.
Shirley Lance	-	-	-	-	-	-	The ride home from play practice after Martha got off
Clara Lytle	-	-	-	-	-	-	The night I fell off the porch
Ruth McAfee	-	-	-	-	-	-	My little brother, Bradley
Tom Marthey	-	-	-	-	-	-	I never did anything I want to forget
Emilie Miller	-	-	-	-	-	-	The night I ran dad's truck into the garage
Walter Nolt	-	-	-	-	-	-	Evelyn from Orrville
Jon Pritchard	-	-	-	-	-	-	Women, but I can't
Geraldine Rhine	-	-	-	-	-	-	That I had brown hair
David Rohrer	-	-	-	-	-	-	The night going home from an F.F.A. meeting last winter
Walter Stoll	-	-	-	-	-	-	The time I walked down 32 flights of steps in the Terminal Tower
Charles Stout	-	-	-	-	-	-	That I am short
Martha Wertz	-	-	-	-	-	-	Learning play lines, especially the second act
James Wilson	-	-	-	-	-	-	The time I hit the bridge on the way home from a date
Norma Wilson	-	-	-	-	-	-	My days in the Five and Ten
Lois Zimmerly	-	-	-	-	-	-	The times I missed the bus
Darlene Conrad	-	-	-	-	-	-	The days I went to school

Sophomores

The mighty class of "55" started out with a bang by getting a new addition to our class, the Marshallville kids, who enlarged our class a lot.

The classmates we selected to be our leaders for the year are as follows:

President	-	-	-	-	-	Roger Ramseyer
Vice President	-	-	-	-	-	Jack Snoddy
Secretary	-	-	-	-	-	Rowena Garman
Treasurer	-	-	-	-	-	Bonnie Wagers
Student Council	-	-	-	-	-	Marilyn Shaffer
						Gene Kauffman
Reporter	-	-	-	-	-	Ruth Drake
Sergeant at Arms	-	-	-	-	-	Dick Snyder

Because of the size of the Sophomore class we had two home rooms, one supervised by Mrs. Murray and the other by Mr. Amstutz.



FIRST ROW: E. George, Mr. Amstutz, D. Snyder, J. Snoddy, R. Ramseyer, G. Kaufman, B. Wagers, R. Garman, M. Shaffer, Mrs. Murray
 SECOND ROW: L. Snyder, R. Drake, M. Hutchison, D. Strickler, J. Sargeant, G. Rehm, B. Dickason, C. Estes, M. Hostetler, P. Miller, R. Hartzler, B. Bogner, J. Olson
 THIRD ROW: M. Hahn, G. Perret, E. Snyder, M. Falb, J. Schrock, R. Singer, J. Mumaw, M. Stauffer, C. Parker, M. Krabill, S. Swisher, R. Mast
 FOURTH ROW: D. Heiks, E. Graber, C. Weygandt, C. Eggeman, J. Musser, J. Hohenshil, E. Rehm, D. Stuckey, P. Steiner, C. Byler
 FIFTH ROW: V. Lower, B. Butzer, F. Hartzler, S. Gordon, R. Fogle, P. Hochstetler, A. Buchwalter, P. Ault, M. Sheets, J. Haley
 SIXTH ROW: D. Brillhart, D. Zimmerly, J. Jolliff, M. Werntz, J. Yoder, J. Beck, R. Ratzel, R. Smucker, A. Wainio, W. Freday, E. Mani, N. Yoho

We are very proud of the boys from our room who made the reserve and varsity basketball teams. We had six boys on the reserve and one on the varsity. Our cheerleaders were Donna Heiks, Mary Ann Hahn, and Jo Etta Haley.

We waited anxiously for our class sweaters and finally received them. They are blue with gray emblems.

Freshmen

We, the class of "56", started our high school education with Mr. Berkey as our sponsor and a class of 75, one of the largest in the school.

With nineteen kids coming from Madisonburg and fifteen coming from Marshallville our enrollment was boosted up with some really nice kids.

We also elected the following officers to guide us this year.

President	-	-	-	-	-	Ward Mumaw
Vice President	-	-	-	-	-	Richard King
Secretary and Treasurer	-	-	-	-	-	Wanda Boreman
Student Council	-	-	-	-	-	Doris Zook
						Don Nolt
Reporter	-	-	-	-	-	Phyllis Dilyard



FIRST ROW: J. Eikleberry, H. Cooper, B. McAfee, C. Troyer, C. Butzer, R. Besancon, R. Starn
 SECOND ROW: E. Hartsough, P. Dilyard, W. Boreman, D. Zook, D. Nolt, W. Mumaw, R. King, Mr. Berkey, E. Zimmerly, J. Rohrer
 THIRD ROW: L. Hostetler, J. Lytle, M. Mumaw, H. Thesing, J. Shisler, C. Miller, D. Moser, E. Wertz, J. Graber, J. Calderhead, L. Blosser
 FOURTH ROW: H. Hartsough, C. Fetter, D. Lindsey, R. Nickle, W. Lance, D. Weiman, R. Ball, G. Smucker, S. Gwin
 FIFTH ROW: F. Pfouts, B. Lohr, C. Berry, E. Weygandt, H. Ault, E. Alden, J. Zeigler, A. Goodman, V. Morrison, N. Chapman, C. Arnes, P. Miller
 SIXTH ROW: E. Batdorf, P. Swisher, S. Speelman, E. Wirth, N. Dawson, R. Stoll, G. Miller, J. Cook, J. Schrock, S. Baab, M. Lower, G. Thut, R. Eberly
 SEVENTH ROW: D. Woods, G. Douglas, D. Beaver, K. Werntz, C. Miller, J. Geopfert, L. Baker, T. Gerig, G. Harrison, B. Wirth, D. Smucker, R. Hoff

We didn't represent the athletic teams very much, but we are glad for those who did participate. They are John Eikleberry on the baseball team and Dick Beaver, Don Nolt, and Ward Mumaw on the reserve basketball squad.

Beside the athletic teams our class was represented in the Speech Club, Music Department, Home Ec. Club, and the F.F.A.

Eighth Grade

How happy we were to enter this High School of Education!

For some reason we have lost some of the importance we felt in former years. These upperclassmen just don't seem to realize that there wouldn't be any seniors in four years if it wasn't for us.



FIRST ROW: Mr. Krohe, D. Musser, N. Gresser, M. Burkholder, M. Hostetler, L. Falb, P. Mosier
 SECOND ROW: D. Vargo, Lois Singer, L. Haley, Louise Singer, B. Yates, J. Sinclair, J. Geiser, L. Hilligas, K. Baughman
 THIRD ROW: W. Weuthrick, R. Plant, L. Schrock, B. Miller, R. Dilyard, J. Hartzler, C. Hostetler, T. Berkey
 FOURTH ROW: L. McNally, J. Smith, M. Moomaw, P. Strader, M. Bellman, C. Peterman, M. Holderman, E. Eberly, S. Gerig.
 FIFTH ROW: L. Smucker, J. Lennington, B. Pearson, R. Wagers, G. Caskey, B. Grove, G. King, D. Bogner, B. Beaverson

It took Mr. Krohe only one semester to teach us what he knew, so he resigned and accepted a job in Cleveland, Ohio. Mr. Bingham then came to replace him. He's giving us a new light which makes us happy.

Our real pride is in our basketball team. Our cheerleaders Lois and Louise Singer and La Donna Haley are the spurs that help "Our Team" on to future "Champs"—Watch us! !

The officers for the year 1952-1953 were as follows:

President	-	-	-	-	-	Martha Burkholder
Vice President	-	-	-	-	-	Lucille Falb
Secretary and Treasurer	-	-	-	-	-	Nancy Gresser
Sergeant at Arms	-	-	-	-	-	Pat Mosier
Mosaic Reporter	-	-	-	-	-	Mary Lynn Hostetler
Student Council	-	-	-	-	-	Dolores Musser
						Kenneth Burington

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Student Council

The student council is composed of the following:

A president elected by the entire student body.

A boy and girl elected from each class.

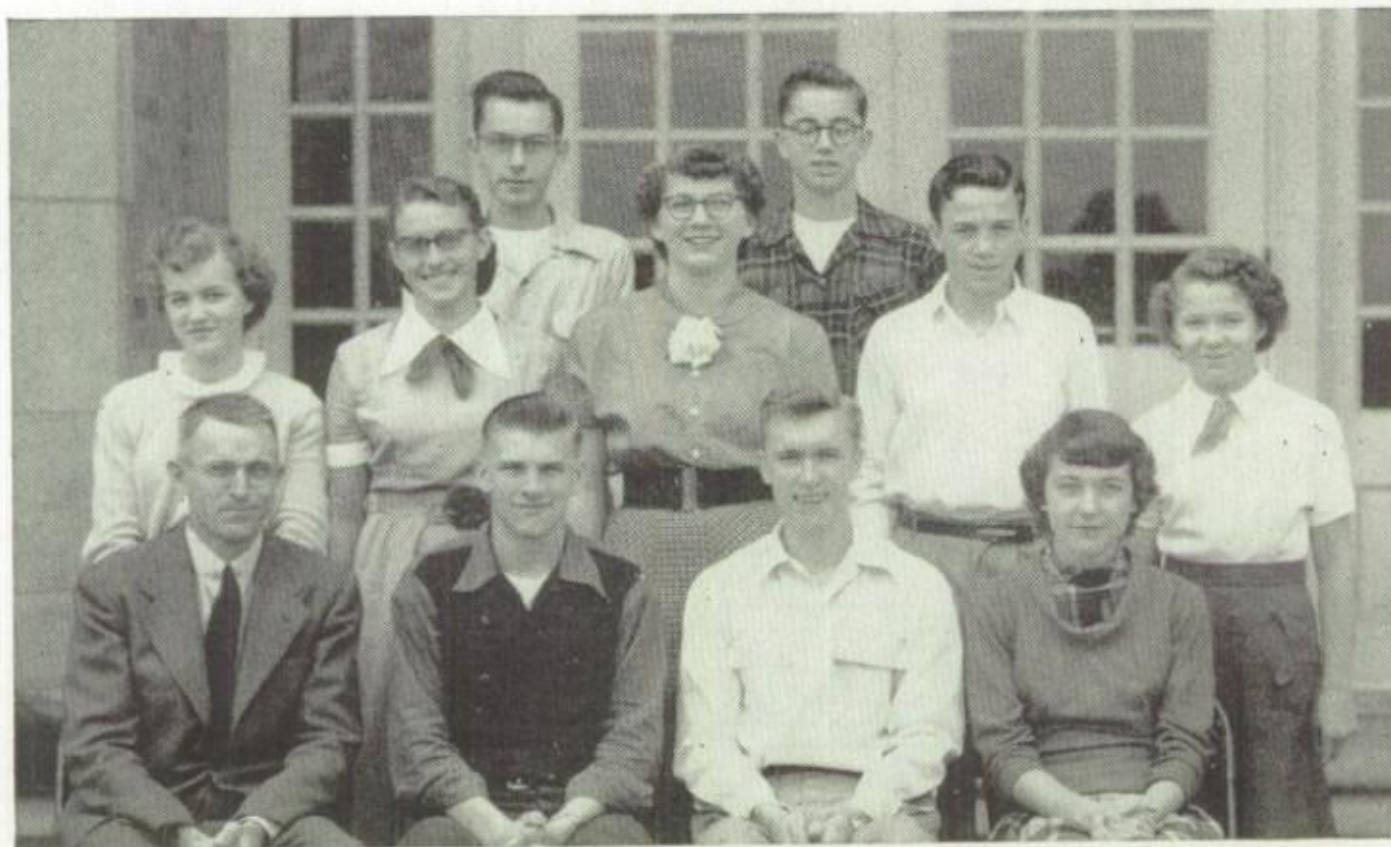
A faculty advisor.

The purpose of the student council is to encourage co-operation among the students and give them a voice in governing the school. This year's student council, under the guidance of Mr. McCay and with Bill Hutchison as president, appointed many committees and sponsored a "clean up" campaign.

One of the outstanding awards, which the student council sponsors, is the "Babe Ruth Award." This is given to the most sportsman-like senior boy and girl each year. We are proud to be one of the few schools which is able to offer this award

OFFICERS

Faculty Advisor	-	-	-	-	-	Mr. McCay
President	-	-	-	-	-	Bill Hutchison
Vice President	-	-	-	-	-	Cloyd Franks
Secretary	-	-	-	-	-	Paula Feusier



FIRST ROW: Mr. McCay, C. Franks, B. Hutchison, P. Feusier
 SECOND ROW: M. Shaffer, D. Zook, M. Beaverson, D. Nolt, D. Musser
 THIRD ROW: G. Kauffman, D. Shamp

Fabrica



FIRST ROW: C. Franks, W. Stoll, D. Zimmerly, J. Singer, Mr. Berkey
SECOND ROW: J. Wilson, M. Musser, P. Feusier, C. Lonier, F. Bland

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Editor	-	-	-	-	-	Doris Zimmerly
Assistant Editor	-	-	-	-	-	Walter Stoll
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Snapshots	-	-	-	-	-	Morrene Musser
Typists	-	-	-	-	-	Carole Lonier
						Paula Feusier
Advisor	-	-	-	-	-	Mr. Berkey

You have made the year, we have only tried to record it. If we have done this successfully we are satisfied.

IN APPRECIATION

The Fabrica staff wishes to thank all those people who have helped to make this Annual. Especially Mr. Berkey for all the work, time, guidance, and patience he has put into it. Mrs. Thomas Perret for the art work, Morrene Musser, snaps, and the entire staff for their fine co-operation. Thanks kids, for a job well done.

Mosaic Staff



FIRST ROW: Mrs. Murray, A. Airulla, W. Stoll, G. Moomaw, D. Indermuhle, J. Byler, Mrs. Becker
 SECOND ROW: P. Dilyard, M. Hostetler, R. Drake, C. Miller, M. Zuercher, E. Yates, Jeanne Brotherton, D. Heiks, G. Perret, K. Berkey
 THIRD ROW: R. Smucker, T. Gerig, P. Gresser, E. Gerig, E. Miller, B. Hutchison, J. Singer
 FOURTH ROW: J. Carmony, C. Lonier, N. Hostetler, G. Stuckey, P. Feusier, D. Zimmerly, M. Musser

EDITORIAL STAFF

Editor	-	-	-	-	-	Galen Moomaw
Assistant Editors	-	-	-	-	-	Aretha Airulla
						Janet Byler
Business Manager	-	-	-	-	-	Darrel Indermuhle
Assistant Business Manager	-	-	-	-	-	Walter Stoll
Advisors	-	-	-	-	-	Mrs. Murray
						Mrs. Becker

"Who is he?"

"I don't know but he sure does get around."

The subject of this mysterious conversation is an even more mysterious person. Mr. X is the unknown ruler of the Mr. X gossip column, one of the many features of our school newspaper, the "MOSAIC."

Speech Club

If you like to talk, just join the Speech Club!



FIRST ROW: Miss Kardos, P. Hochstetler, C. Miller, B. Lytle, M. Musser, D. King, Mrs. Murray
 SECOND ROW: G. Smucker, J. Rohrer, M. Mumaw, R. Eberly, G. Thut, P. Miller, G. Perret, C. Parker, B. Hohenshil, M. Falb
 THIRD ROW: E. Gerig, L. Zimmerly, J. Schrock, K. Berkey, J. Lytle, D. Zook, M. Sheets, R. Garman, E. Moose, J. Singer
 FOURTH ROW: J. Byler, E. Miller, P. Gresser, A. Airulla, J. Carmony, B. Boreman, C. Lytle, M. Beaverson, N. Hostetler, R. Baab, D. Shamp
 FIFTH ROW: D. Zimmerly, C. Lonier, P. Feusier, F. Bland, D. Indermuhle, W. Troyer, B. Buchwalter, G. Stuckey, G. Elliott, B. Hutchison, W. Stoll, H. Conrad

We had a large membership this year and all did wonderful work in their declamations, Prince of Peace, One Act Plays, and other activities.

Walter Stoll received a first place rating at the state contest with his humorous reading.

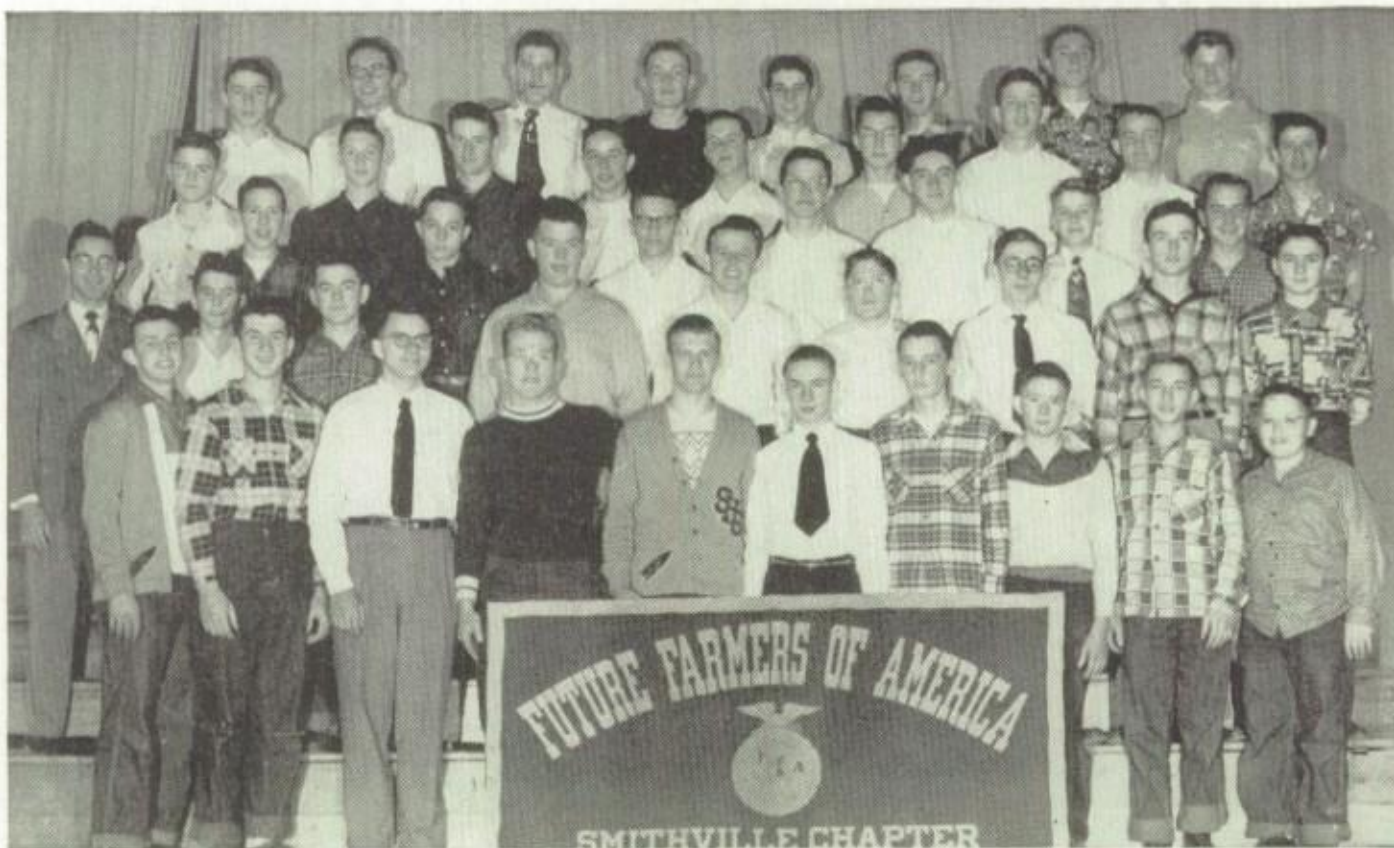
Officers for the year were:

President	-	-	-	-	-	Bernice Lytle
Vice President	-	-	-	-	-	David King
Secretary	-	-	-	-	-	Morrene Musser
Treasurer	-	-	-	-	-	Phyllis Hochstetler
Reporter	-	-	-	-	-	Carol Miller

The high lights of the year were: a bus trip to Cleveland to see the play, "Finian's Rainbow," also to the Little Theatre in Wooster to see, "The Swan."

We are happy to say we got along fine and had lots of fun and still charged no dues. One evening meeting a month was observed as Speech Club Night.

F. F. A.



FIRST ROW: J. Wilson, G. Moomaw, C. Raudebaugh, D. Indermuhle, C. Franks, R. Smucker, J. Cook, C. Butzer, R. Starn, E. Graber
 SECOND ROW: Mr. Amstutz, C. Byler, J. Elliott, G. Elliott, H. Conrad, J. Hohen-shil, E. Rehm, B. Wirth, W. Lance
 THIRD ROW: R. Besancon, R. Hershberger, E. Mani, W. Mumaw, R. Ratzel, P. Steiner, G. Miller
 FOURTH ROW: T. Marthey, C. Eggeman, O. Brillhart, D. Zimmerly, J. Schrock, G. Kauffman, R. Ramseyer, J. Musser, D. Brillhart
 FIFTH ROW: D. Smucker, D. Horst, D. Rohrer, J. Jolliff, R. Smucker, J. Bupp, L. Starcher, J. Pritchard

OFFICERS

President	-	-	-	-	Darrel Indermuhle
Vice President	-	-	-	-	Cloyd Franks
Secretary	-	-	-	-	Galen Moomaw
Treasurer	-	-	-	-	Charles Raudebaugh
Reporter	-	-	-	-	Ralph Smucker
Sentinel	-	-	-	-	James Wilson
Advisor	-	-	-	-	Mr. Clifford Amstutz

The F.F.A. was very busy this year trying to carry out our motto "Learning to do, Doing to learn, Earning to live, Living to serve."

Some of the activities were: Fishing trip to Canada; F.F.A. Camp Muskingum; State Convention; Greenhand Initiation; Chicken Roast; Silver Rating in District Parliamentary Procedure Contest; Pest Hunt; Parents' Night; Attended Hockey Game; Basket Ball Team; Second in County Public Speaking Contest; All-Day Field Trip; Parent-Son Banquet; Popcorn for Crop Project; Started a gilt chain.

Home Ec. Club



FIRST ROW: B. Wagers, C. Miller, D. Heiks, D. Zimmerly, B. Boreman, M. Musser, B. Lytle, Miss Gould
 SECOND ROW: G. Perret, J. Bishop, M. Hostetler, E. Yates, J. Rohrer, M. Shaffer, B. Bøner, J. Olson, D. Strickler, M. Hahn, P. Pfouts
 THIRD ROW: G. Frase, J. Carmony, K. Berkey, R. Garman, P. Miller, B. Butzer, E. Snyder, W. Boreman, R. Fogel, P. Ault
 FOURTH ROW: Jeanne Brotherton, M. Mumaw, J. Moser, V. Lower, J. Sargeant, B. Dickason, E. Zimmerly
 FIFTH ROW: J. Hartzler, A. Odenkirk, M. Zuercher, E. Wirth, S. Baab, P. Swisher, G. Rehm, R. Mast, J. Haley, S. Swisher, Joanne Brotherton, G. Rhine
 SIXTH ROW: N. Wilson, N. Brant, D. Beichler, E. Miller, M. Beaverson, P. Feusier, R. Baab, D. Troxel, H. Gordon, S. Gordon, F. Hartzler

OFFICERS

President	-	-	-	-	-	Doris Zimmerly
Vice President	-	-	-	-	-	Bernice Lytle
Secretary	-	-	-	-	-	Betty Boreman
Treasurer	-	-	-	-	-	Morrene Musser
Reporter	-	-	-	-	-	Donna Heiks
Song Leader	-	-	-	-	-	Shirley Lance

Our first event of the year was the Thanksgiving Candle Light Supper.

December was our Christmas Exchange which were kitchen items.

Spring brought our annual Mother-Daughter Banquet and another party.

Calendar of "52" to "53"

SEPTEMBER

- 15—First day of school.
- 17—Jim Lynder, King Archer, gave us an assembly
- 19—Baseball game here with Northwestern
- 25—Baseball game at Creston.
- 29—We were host to Fredricksburg's baseball team.

OCTOBER

- 2—We had a baseball game at Sterling.
- 6—Burbank baseball team came here.
- 7—No heat; No school.
- 8—Great day; Still no school.
- 9—Went to Apple Creek for a baseball game;
Still no heat
- 10—Our baseball team went to Mt. Eaton.
- 13—Shreve came here for a baseball game.
- 14-15—No furnace; No heat; No school.
- 16—Cheerleading tryouts.
- 17—Magazine sales assembly.
- 21—F.F.A. had a chicken roast at City Park;
Smell that chicken, ah!
- 24—Junior ring salesman.
- 25—Sophomore class raising money; Bake sale.
- 27—Speech Club host to "Prince of Peace"
practice contest.
- 28—Bob Rudenback gave an assembly.

NOVEMBER

- 4—Assembly to give instructions on mock election.
- 13—Senior class gave Matinee to grade school.
- 14—Big news—Senior Play—"Cheaper by the Dozen."
- 18—Basketball Father-Son Banquet.
- 20—Home Ec. Club had a Thanksgiving Supper.
- 21—Started basketball season with a game at Shreve; We won!!
- 25—Basketball game with Northwestern here;
No remarks.
- 27—Thanksgiving vacation.
- 29—Alumni game.

DECEMBER

- 5—Basketball team went to Burbank.
- 12—Creston came here for a basketball game.
- 13—Junior class had a party.
- 16—Chorus gave Christmas Concert.
- 19—A big basketball game with Sterling.
- 22—A Christmas Party for the Home Ec. girls.
- 23—Speech Club went to the Cleveland Play House.
- 30-31—Blind Tourney at Ashland.

JANUARY

- 5—First day of school in "53."
- 9—Doylestown came here for a basketball game.
- 10—We traveled to Rittman for a basketball game.

Calendar of "52" to "53" (Cont'd.)

- 13—Had a basketball game at Millersburg;
Look Out! Seniors that didn't have a license
were granted one.
- 16—A good game of basketball at Dalton;
We won, Naturally.
- 20—Orrville basketball team came here.
- 23—Played Mt. Eaton in a basketball game.
- 26—Youth Week—Rev. Cromwell, speaker.
- 29—P.T.A. Play; Lots of laughs!
- 30—Senior Scholarship Tests at Wooster;
Basketball game with the Freddies.

FEBRUARY

- 2—Debate finals at Apple Creek.
- 6—A game of basketball with Apple Creek.
- 10—County Tournament—We won.
- 12—County Tournament—Won again.
- 14-16—County Tournament—Didn't do so good.
- 16—James Bennet was here for an assembly.
- 17—Senior Box Social.
- 19—Senior Day—Good Kids!
- 20—Y.M.C.A. film on Brotherhood Week.
- 24—Sophomore Class Party; Assembly by
Coleman Puppets.
- 27—Music Assembly.

MARCH

- 13—Freshmen had a class party.
- 17—Junior and Senior girls movie on nursing.
- 19—Assembly given by Jack Barnes.
- 24—State Scholarship Test.
- 27—Big day for Juniors—Class Play.
- 30—Entertained by C. E. Jones.

APRIL

- 1—Every Pupil Test.
- 7—Assembly by Hal Rodman.
- 9—One Act Play Contest. We won first place
in the county.
- 10—County Vocal Festival at Doylestown.
- 14—Art Achievement Day.
- 16—8th Grade State Test.
- 17—School Music Festival.
- 24—County Band Festival at Wooster.

MAY

- 8—Alumni Band Concert.
- 15—Ah, no school—Teachers' Work Shop.
- 16—Junior-Senior Banquet . . . Oh Boy!
- 24—Senior Baccalaureate.
- 26—State Patrol for Juniors—Be on the watch
- 28—Graduation.
- 29—Last day of examinations. . . . Lucky kids.

JUNE

- 1—Seniors leave for Washington . . . more fun!
- 3—Last day of school . . . HOORAY!

Senior Class Play

"Cheaper by the Dozen"

CAST

Mr. Gilbreth	-	-	Gene Stuckey	Lillian Gilbreth	-	Doris Zimmerly
Mrs. Gilbreth	-	-	Bernice Lytle	Martha Gilbreth	-	Morrene Musser
Anne Gilbreth	-	-	Carole Lonier	Mrs. Fitzgerald	-	Carol Miller
Ernestine Gilbreth	-	-	Paula Feusier	Dr. Burton	-	Bill Buchwalter
Frank Gilbreth	-	-	Galen Moomaw	Joe Scales	-	Harold Conrad
Jackie Gilbreth	-	-	Bob Hohenshil	Miss Brill	-	Karen Berkey
Dan Gilbreth	-	-	Ralph Smucker	Director	-	Mrs. Murray
Bill Gilbreth	-	-	Jim Singer	Student Director	-	Betty Boreman
Fred Gilbreth	-	-	John Bupp			



FIRST ROW: M. Musser, C. Miller, P. Feusier, C. Lonier, D. Zimmerly, Mrs. Murray
 SECOND ROW: K. Berkey, B. Boreman, B. Lytle, G. Stuckey, H. Conrad, R. Smucker
 THIRD ROW: B. Hohenshil, B. Hutchinson, B. Buchwalter, G. Moomaw, J. Bupp, J. Singer

This play proved to be an even bigger success than our Junior play, which is hard to believe. The story being a true story made it even more interesting. The scene is the living room of the Gilbreth home, Montclair, New Jersey. The time was in the late "twenties."

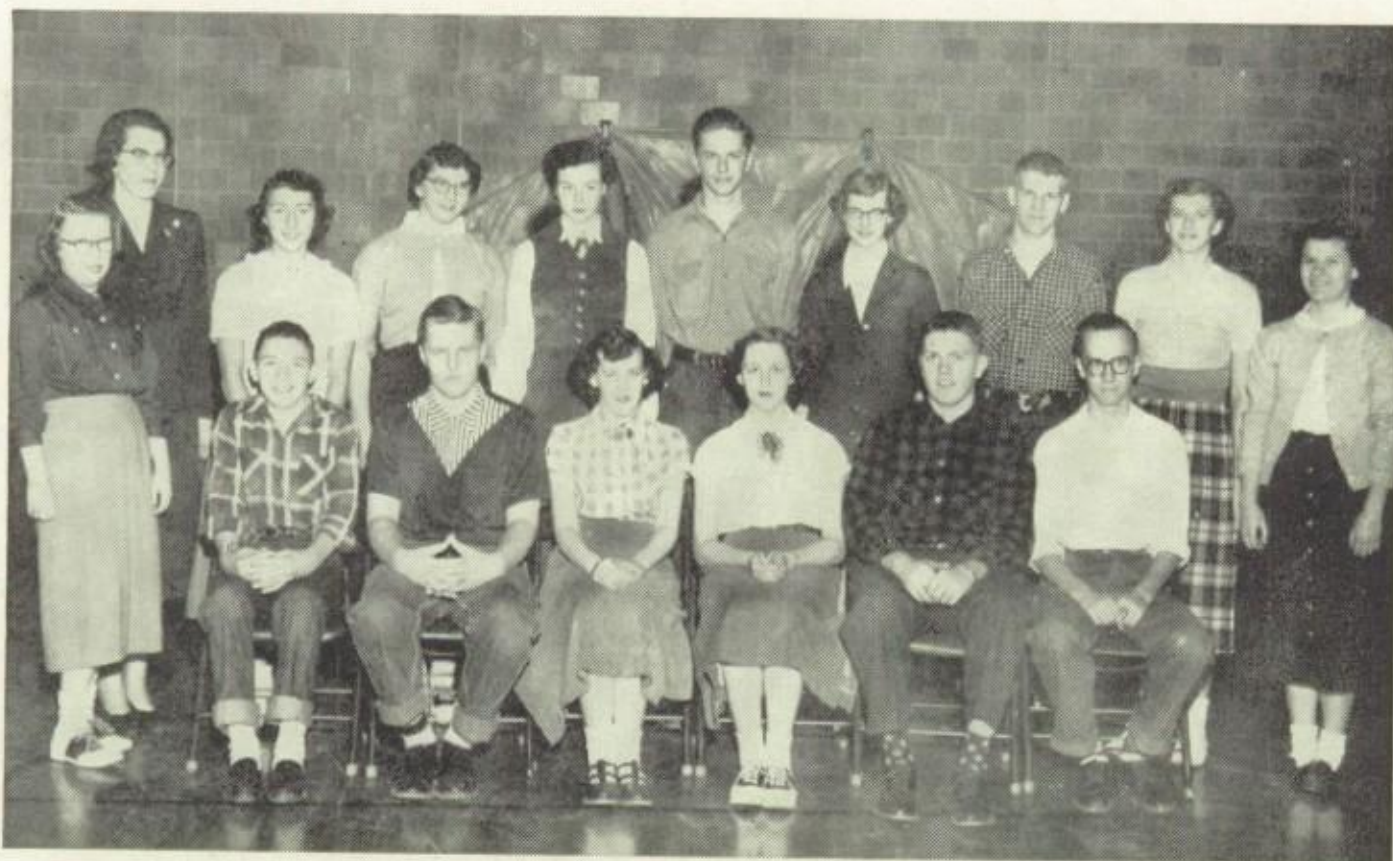
The play was directed by Mrs. Harold Murray, to whom we owe much of its success.

Junior Class Play

"Mother Is a Freshman"

CAST

Mrs. Abigail Abbott	-	Martha Wertz	Marge	-	-	-	Norma Wilson
Susan	-	-	Janet Byler	Bobo	-	-	George Kelbly
Mrs. Miller	-	-	Clara Lytle	Jack	-	-	Cloyd Franks
Sylvia	-	-	Mary Lou Beaverson	Howie	-	-	Charles Stout
Bunny	-	-	Aretha Airulla	Bill	-	-	Harry Bogner
Helen	-	-	Nancy Hostetler	Dean Gillingham	-	-	David King
Carrie	-	-	Shirley Fike	Professor Michaels	-	-	Walter Stoll
Clara	-	-	Eloise Gerig				



FIRST ROW: C. Stout, G. Kelbly, J. Byler, M. Wertz, W. Stoll, D. King
SECOND ROW: N. Wilson, Miss Kardos, A. Airulla, M. Beaverson, C. Lytle, H. Bogner, N. Hostetler, C. Franks, S. Fike, E. Gerig

The story centers around Abigail Abbott, a widow, thirty-five years old, who decides to go to college so that she can afford to send her daughter, Susan, who is a sophomore in the same college, through school.

The scene is a corner of the living room in Abigail Abbott's home and the reception hall of Green Hall Girls' Dormitory, Pointer College, Pointer, New York. The time is early fall.

The play was directed by Miss Kardos. Student directors were Emilie Miller and Shirley Lantz.

One-Act Play



"SPECIAL GUEST"

FIRST ROW: Karen Berkey, Carol Miller
SECOND ROW: Walter Stoll, Gene Stuckey, David King

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Nora Andrews, middle-aged farm woman	-	-	-	Carol Miller
John Andrews, her shiftless husband	-	-	-	David King
Edward, their son (24)	-	-	-	Gene Stuckey
Robert Norton, a detective (25)	-	-	-	Walter Stoll
Elaine Madison, young and engaged to Robert	-	-	-	Karen Berkey
Director	-	-	-	Mrs. Murray
Student Director, Prompter, and Props.	-	-	-	Morrene Musser

The one-act play cast worked hard on the play "Special Guest." Their efforts brought forth a superior rating in the county contest which was held at Smithville High School, April 9, 1953. The first place county rating qualifies the cast to compete at the State contest.

Mrs. Murray, the director, deserves a lot of credit for the excellent presentation. We hope you kids go a long way at the state contest. Best of luck to all of you.

Flash: Smithville placed third in the state contest.

Band

The pep-band of about ten members played at one basketball game and everyone enjoyed them. The full-band played at some of the other home games and also at the band festival.



FIRST ROW: D. Strickler, J. Smith, J. Graber, W. Boreman, E. Wertz, S. Swisher, G. Perret
 SECOND ROW: E. George, B. Wagers, J. Shisler, P. Dilyard, C. Miller, J. Lytle, J. Sinclair, D. Musser, N. Gresser, R. Dilyard, Mr. Levin
 THIRD ROW: J. Geiser, C. Parker, C. Estes, R. Drake, H. Ault, K. Berkey, M. Musser, D. Zimmerly, M. Burkholder, J. Bishop, R. Smucker
 FOURTH ROW: J. Schrock, J. Snoddy, D. Beichler, M. Sheets, J. Byler, D. Troxel, J. Carmony, B. Boreman, P. Feusier, C. Lonier, R. Smucker, J. Musser
 FIFTH ROW: H. Conrad, G. Moomaw, J. Bupp, A. Buchwalter, P. Hochstetler, P. Ault, N. Hostetler, C. Lytle, B. Lythe, G. Stuckey, R. Ramseyer, F. Bland

Those representing us at the contest were:

Phyllis Hochstetler	-	-	-	-	Trumpet Solo
John Bupp	-	-	-	-	Trumpet Solo
Maxine Sheets	-	-	-	-	Saxophone Solo

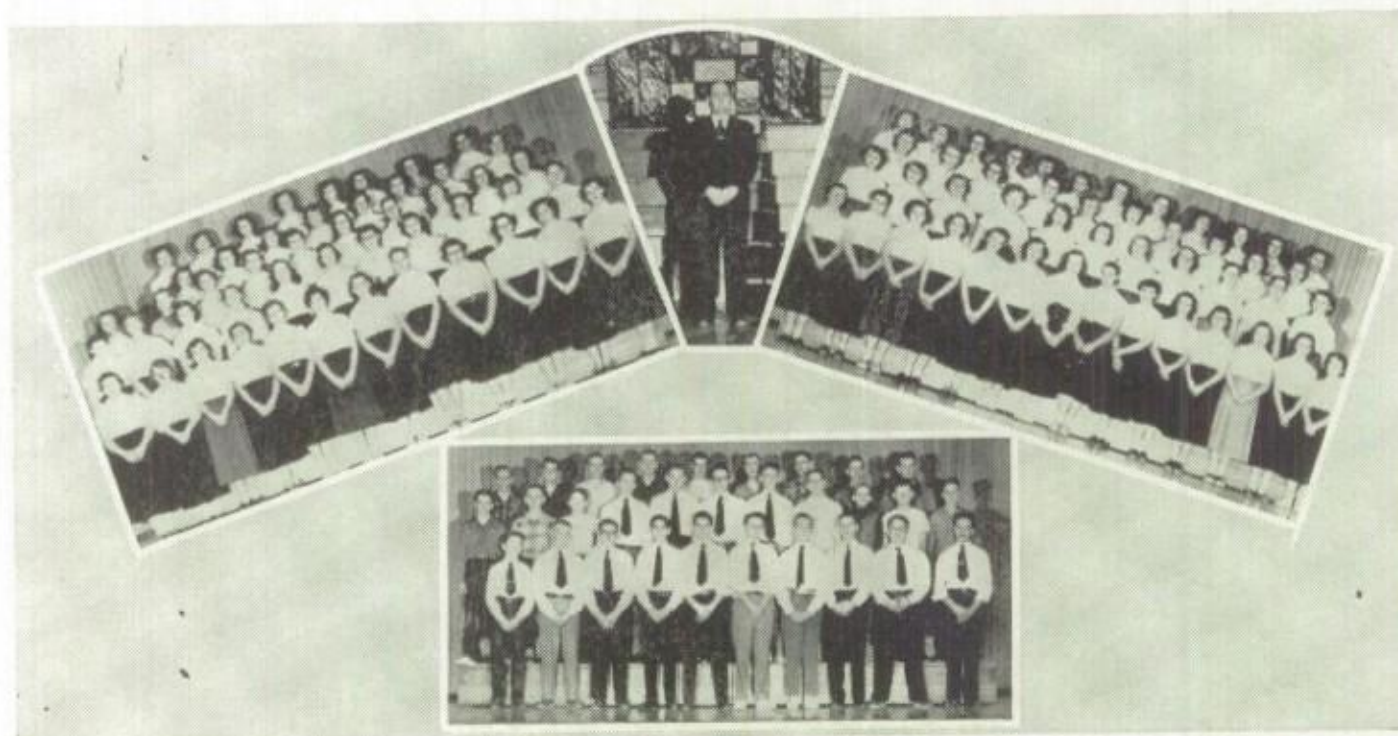
This year saw the birth of a new organization known as the Smithville Music Mothers' Association. Mrs. Davy Lytle is the president of this organization.

The band met every Monday and Wednesday the sixth period. They played almost everything and anything. The band played over WWST, our Wooster radio station as a part of the Smithville School presentation.

Chorus

The chorus with 140 mixed voices presented the Christmas Cantata, The Spring Show, and sang at Baccalaureate.

Karen Berkey, Paula Feusier, Morrene Musser, and Rosalie Baab represented our choral groups at the contest. The girls' trio received a first place rating at Kent which qualified them to enter the state contest. They also received a first place rating at state.



SOPRANOS

FIRST ROW: C. Berry, L. Hartsough, R. Drake, R. Garman, M. Hutchison, C. Lonier, L. Hostetler, R. Mast, G. Rehm, E. Batdorf, V. Morrison, J. Byler
 SECOND ROW: E. Zimmerly, Helen Hartsough, Ellen Hartsough, D. Heiks, A. Odenkirk, J. Carmony, P. Swisher, J. Shisler, D. Moser, J. Lytle, J. Rohrer
 THIRD ROW: J. Olson, B. Dickason, P. Miller, J. Haley, A. Buchwalter, J. Schrock, D. Zook, E. Yates
 FOURTH ROW: J. Sargeant, R. McClure, S. Baab, E. Wirth, B. Butzer, F. Hartzler, C. Parker, J. Zeigler, H. Ault
 FIFTH ROW: S. Swisher, H. Gordon, D. Troxel, B. Lytle, P. Ault, M. Lower, J. Hartzler, M. Beaverson

ALTOS

FIRST ROW: P. Dilyard, L. Zimmerly, J. Bishop, Carmen Miller, M. Shaffer, D. Zimmerly, E. Weygandt, M. Gordon, E. Wertz, G. Smucker, E. Gerig, N. Wilson, B. Wagers, M. Hahn
 SECOND ROW: B. Bogner, D. Strickler, Carol Miller, S. Gwin, B. Lohr, K. Berkey, M. Musser, M. Hostetler, R. Hartzler, J. Mumaw, C. Estes
 THIRD ROW: A. Airulla, E. Miller, P. Gresser, M. Mumaw, M. Sheets, P. Feusier, R. Eberly, J. Brotherton, S. Lance, S. Fike
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 THIRD ROW: E. Mani, G. Kauffman, R. Starn, C. Raudebaugh, G. Stuckey, B. Hutchison, R. Ratzel, D. Shamp, G. Elliott

DIRECTOR Mr. Levin

The chorus also participated in the county music festival.

Orchestra

The orchestra played before the Christmas Cantata, also at the Class Plays, and the Spring Program.

Those who represented us at the contest were:

Ellen Weygandt	-	-	-	-	-	Piano Solo
Janet Byler	-	-	-	-	-	Piano Solo
Galen Moomaw	-	-	-	-	-	Piano Solo
Julia Rohrer	-	-	-	-	-	Vibra-Harp Solo
Eloise Gerig	-	-	-	-	-	Violin Solo



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 SECOND ROW: B. Beaverson, B. Wagers, C. Estes, R. Drake, P. Gresser, J. Shisler, Carmen Miller, M. Musser, K. Berkey, J. Lytle, M. Falb
 THIRD ROW: J. Schrock, M. Sheets, M. Hutchison, J. Byler, H. Ault, C. Lytle, R. Eberly, G. Thut, M. Mumaw
 FOURTH ROW: J. Geiser, G. Moomaw, J. Bupp, P. Hochstetler, A. Buchwalter, P. Ault, D. Woods, T. Gerig

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Let's go,
let's fite,
let's try
and win.



Martha is
Pres. now

Yea, Reserves,
Jo
Donna
Mary



Coach's
night off

"Prince of Peace"
winners



Pretty-Pretty!

Do you
understand?



Don't give up,
Don.

George
at work???



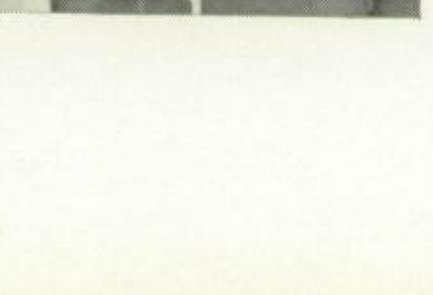
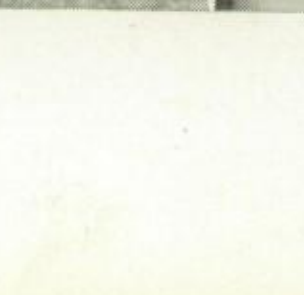
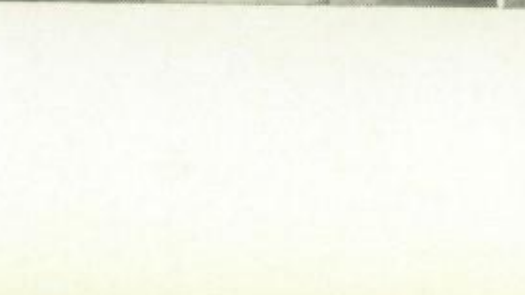
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Sophomore
Confab

Aretha in her
bathing suit



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Rah! Rah! Rah!
Junior High



What would we
do without
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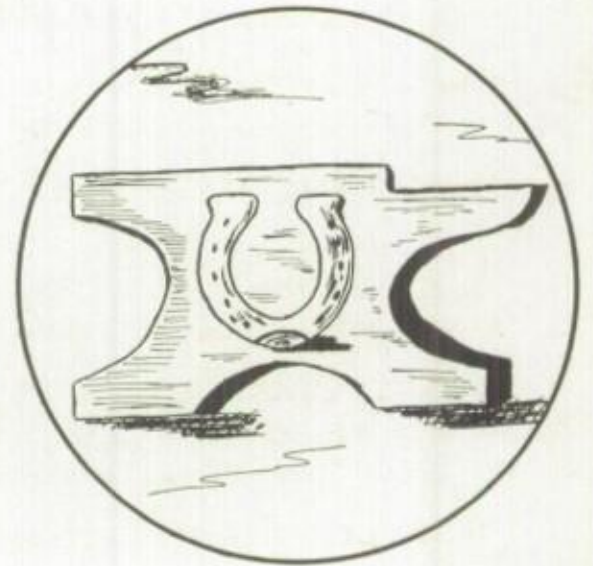
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1952 - 1953 Basketball Lettermen



Rog Ramseyer

Harold Conrad

Jim Singer

Bill Buchwalter

Gene Stuckey

Fritz Bland

John Bupp

Darrel Indermuhle

Our returning lettermen the past season were Gene Stuckey and Bill Buchwalter, both Seniors.

Gene Stuckey (Skeeter) our big 190 lb. guard showed quick-wit during many games.

Bill Buchwalter was our husky center and usually high point man of a game.

Jim Singer, our steady guard, wasn't a large scorer but his aim was to bring the ball up the court and pass onto the other team mates.

Fritz Bland was seen in action as a faithful forward. Fritz was usually in high spirits and out to win.

Early in the season Rog Ramseyer was moved up to the varsity squad. Rog did an excellent job as forward the past season. We wish you the best of luck in the future Rog.

Harold Conrad, Darrel Indermuhle, and John Bupp constitute our substitute lettermen. Too often we do not realize that everyone can't play on the first string and someone has to be ready in time of substitution.

We're proud of our lettermen and we hope you are too.

Congratulations Fellows and Coach, we've enjoyed the past basketball season.

Varsity Basketball



FIRST ROW: Indermuhle, Singer, Stuckey, Buchwalter, Ramseyer, Bland, Conrad
SECOND ROW: Coach Berkey, Manager Byler, Brillhart, Wilson, Kelbly, Bogner, Bupp, Franks, Manager Eikleberry

Our basketball team had an excellent season this year. They won twelve out of twenty games this year and in league play they lost only two games. We tied for second place in league play the past season.

The boys played excellent ball during the tournament, but failed to qualify for the Ashland Sectional.

SEASON'S RECORD

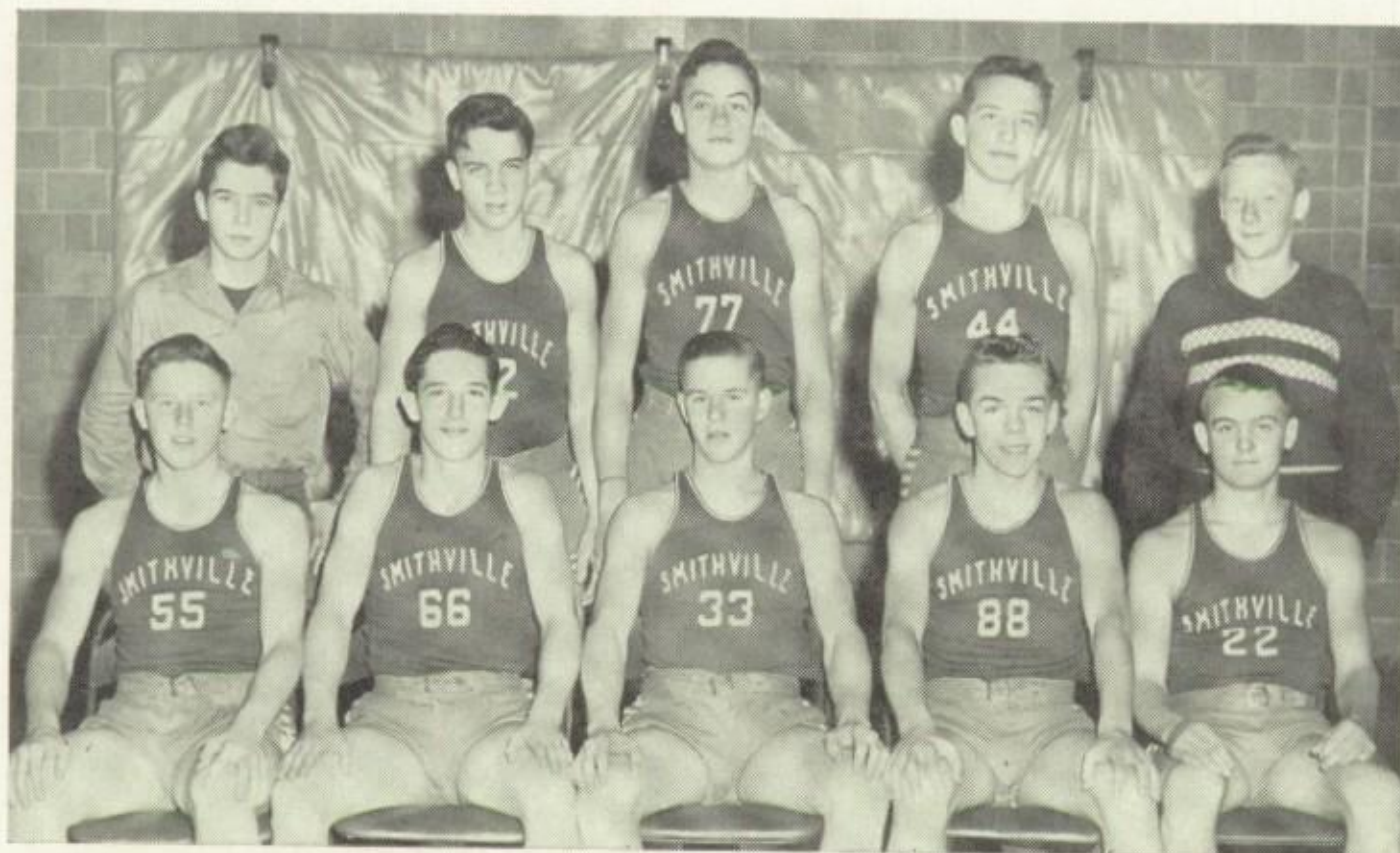
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Smithville	67	Shreve	60
Smithville	29	Northwestern	69
Smithville	66	Burbank	43
Smithville	61	Creston	54
Smithville	51	Sterling	38
Smithville	67	Savannah	57
Smithville	43	Northwestern	59
Smithville	72	Doylestown	41
Smithville	51	Rittman	58

Smithville	46	Millersburg	65
Smithville	59	Dalton	58
Smithville	65	Orrville	55
Smithville	87	Mt. Eaton	43
Smithville	68	Fredericksburg	61
Smithville	55	Apple Creek	66

TOURNAMENT RECORD

Smithville	65	Burbank	44
Smithville	76	Doylestown	50
Smithville	53	Sterling	58
Smithville	61	Creston	68

Reserve Basketball



FIRST ROW: R. Singer, N. Yoho, J. Schrock, J. Snoddy, J. Musser
SECOND ROW: C. Byler—manager, D. Nolt, D. Beaver, W. Mumaw, J. Eikleberry—manager

Our reserve team was composed entirely of Freshmen and Sophomores. From this squad we will get much of our next year's team. The boys had an excellent record of nine wins and only three defeats.

SEASON'S RECORD

Smithville	39	Shreve	20	Smithville	41	Rittman	51
Smithville	35	Northwestern	31	Smithville	26	Millersburg	45
Smithville	51	Burbank	21	Smithville	49	Dalton	24
Smithville	59	Creston	15	Smithville	51	Orville	34
Smithville	34	Sterling	41	Smithville	43	Mt. Eaton	25
Smithville	56	Doylestown	54	Smithville	66	Fredericksburg	24
				Smithville	47	Apple Creek	29

Baseball

We had four lettermen back from last year's team which took second place in the tournament last spring. The four returning lettermen are Gene Stuckey, Fritz Bland, Jim Singer, and Jim Wilson. Two of our fall games were cancelled when we were unable to have school because of no furnace.



FIRST ROW: H. Conrad, F. Bland, G. Stuckey, B. Buchwalter, J. Singer
 SECOND ROW: Mr. Berkey, R. Singer, G. Kelbly, J. Wilson, R. Ramseyer, J. Schrock
 THIRD ROW: C. Fetter (Manager), J. Eikleberry, J. Snoddy, J. Musser, H. Bogner (Manager)

FALL SEASON

Smithville	1	Creston	4
Smithville	3	Fredericksburg	0
Smithville	4	Northwestern	7
Smithville	3	Sterling	2
Smithville	14	Apple Creek	4

Junior High Basketball Team

Players	Position	Scored	Players	Position	Scored
Pat Mosier	Forward	145	Bill Beaverson	Forward	21
Gerald Caskey	Center	103	Lynn Smucker	Guard	21
Rex Wagers	Forward	52	Gary King	Center	20
Bob Grove	Guard	38	Larry Schrock	Forward	12
Ted Berkey	Guard	34	Richard Dilyard	Forward	11
Ronnie Plant	Forward	22	Bob Miller	Guard	5

Manager, David Bogner
Coaches, Krohe and Bingham



FIRST ROW: T. Berkey, R. Plant, G. Caskey, R. Wagers, P. Mosier, Mr. Bingham
SECOND ROW: D. Bogner (Manager), B. Miller, L. Smucker, G. King, B. Beaverson, L. Schrock, R. Dilyard

TEAMS PLAYED

Sterling
Dalton
Creston
Marshallville
Doylestown
Orrville

Wooster Jr. High
Wooster Twp.
Wayne Twp.
Boys Village
West Salem
Shreve

The Jr. High Tournament was at Chester this year. Smithville was defeated by Shreve in a two point Sudden Death overtime, 47-45.

F. F. A. Basketball Team



FIRST ROW: D. Weiman, D. Zimmerly, D. Horst, R. Smucker, B. Wirth
SECOND ROW: B. Starn, P. Steiner, D. Brillhart, E. Graber, J. Elliott
THIRD ROW: C. Butzer, W. Lance, C. Eggeman, E. Mani

This year our F.F.A. basketball team was not quite so good as some other teams. There were fifteen boys who participated. They had a lot of fun and experience playing together. The team shows promise for next year, since most of our players are Freshmen and Sophomores.

Our varsity played only six games of which we won four.

We wish to thank Gene Forrer of Marshallville, a former active F.F.A. boy, for a fine job of coaching.

Varsity Cheerleaders



Carole Lonier

Paula Feusier

Doris Zimmerly

Cheering is quite a job, a lot of fun, and good experience.

Although there is work to learning routines and trying to have successful pep-meetings, Cheerleading is fun.

Our cheerleaders tried to have skits before every pep-meeting. Pep-meetings were held before all home league games.

Cheerleaders are criticized and ridiculed just like the basketball players, but they also have a feeling of accomplishment after the team has won a game.

With a hearty Let's Go Team the games began and so ends another successful season. We hope the future basketball teams of S. H. S. go on to victory. Best of luck to all future cheerleaders of S. H. S.

Thanks girls for your time and efforts that you put forth during the season.

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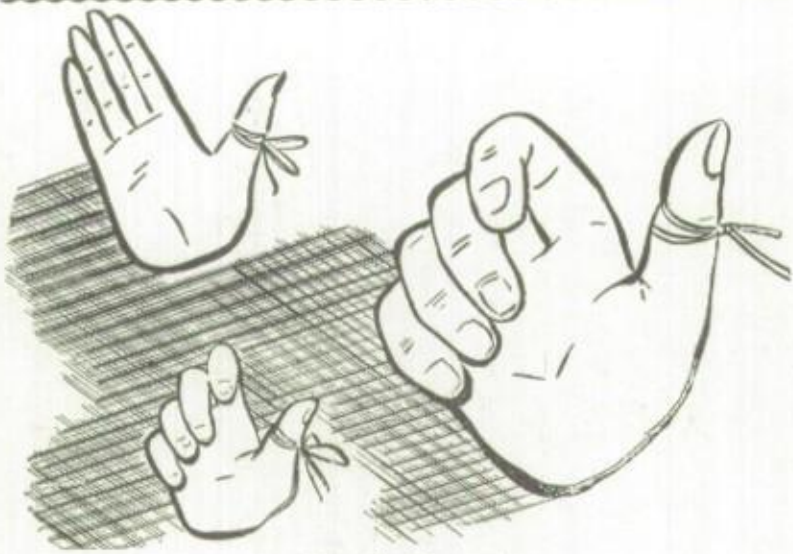
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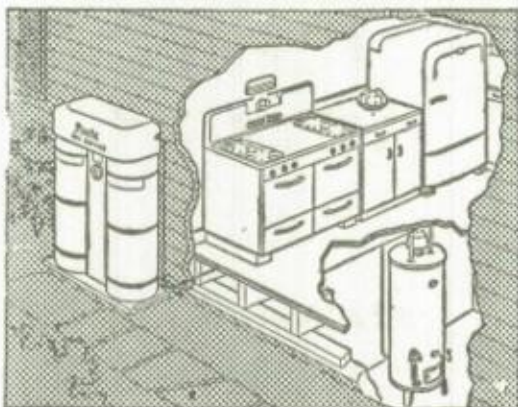
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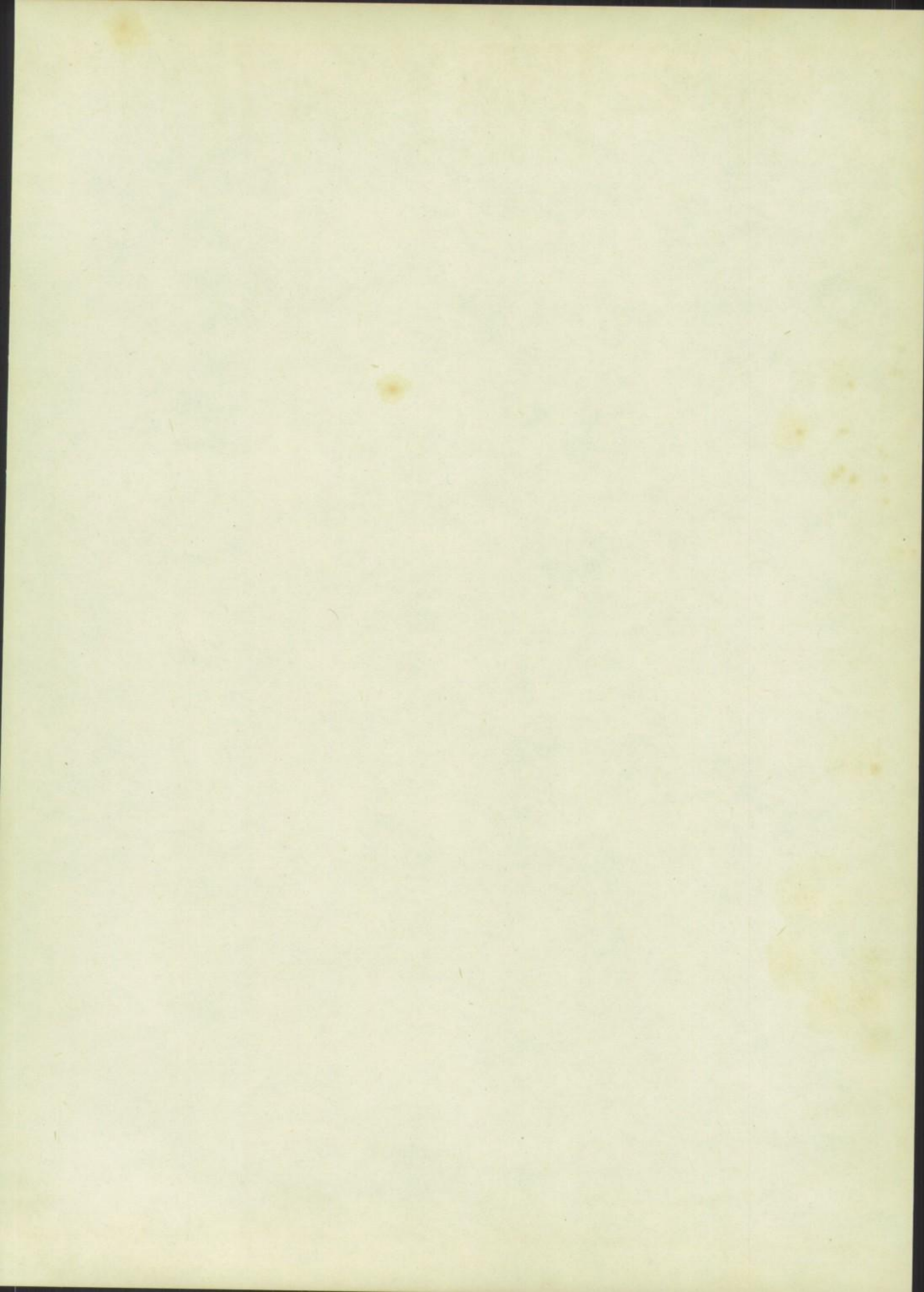
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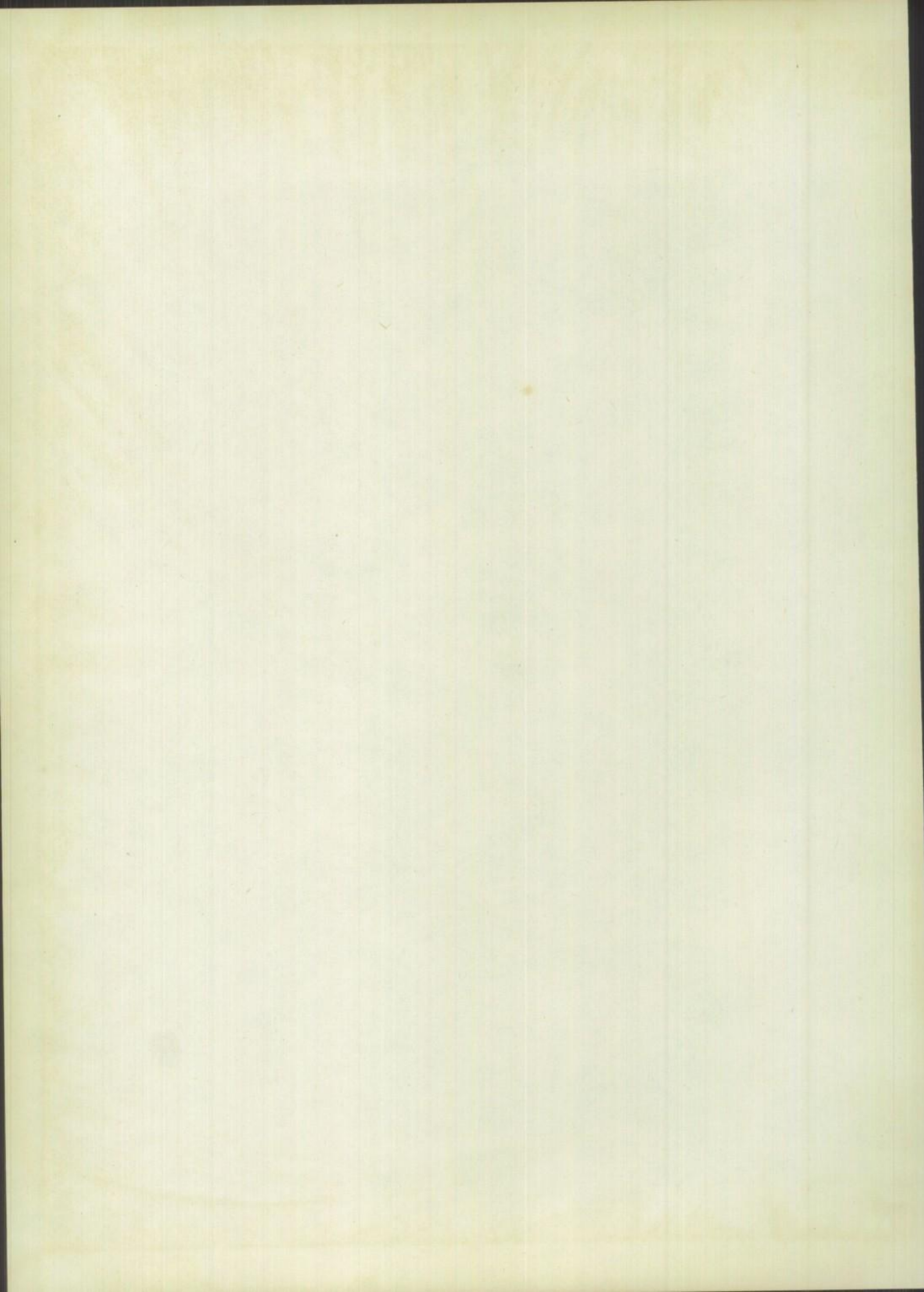
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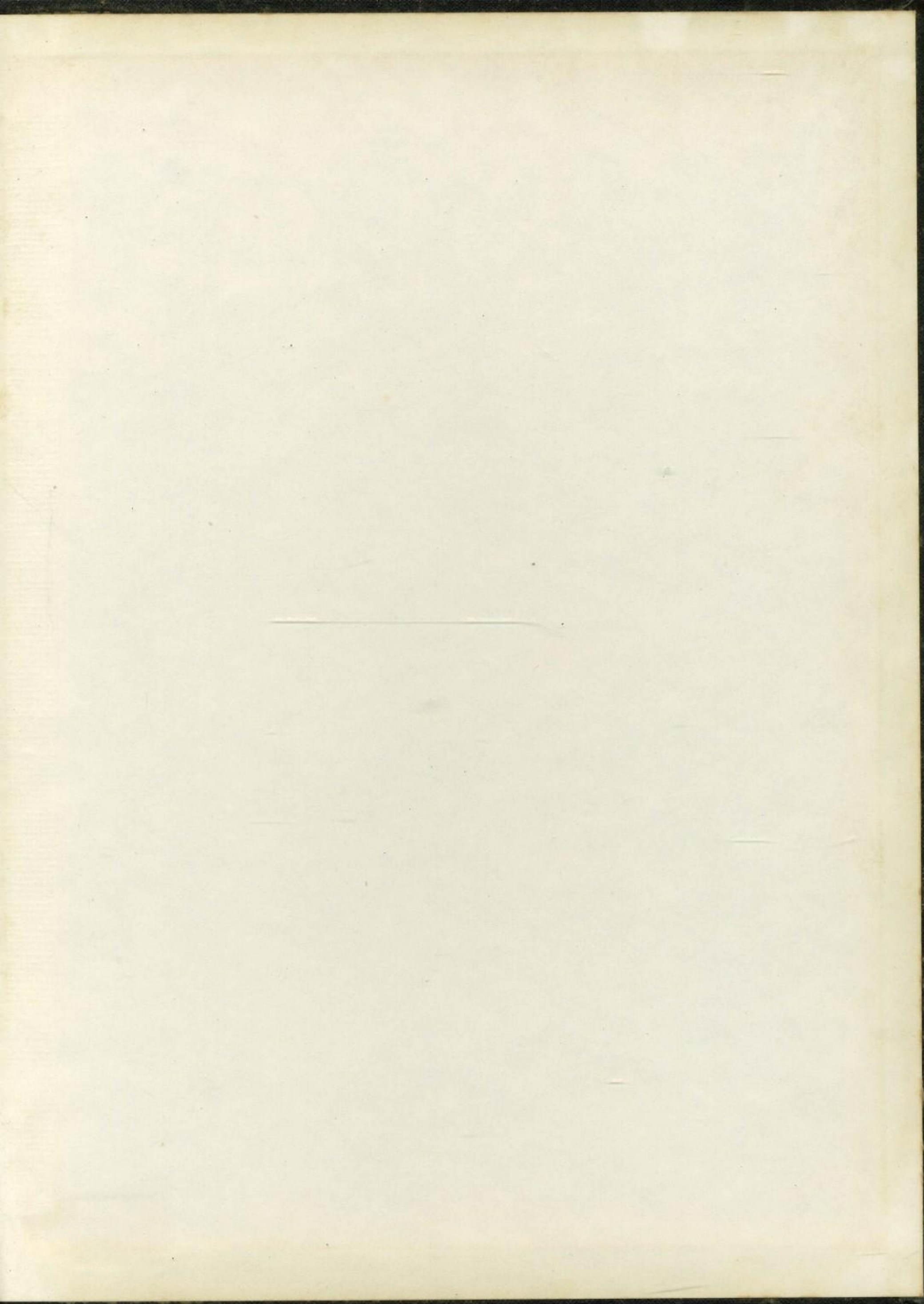
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